# California Leadership and Innovation in Clean Technologies

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## Why Greentech?

Urbanization





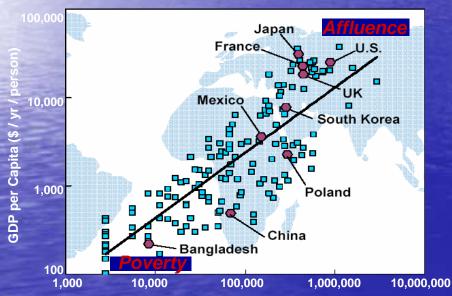


"Megacities" — Population of 10M+: 2 18 >400

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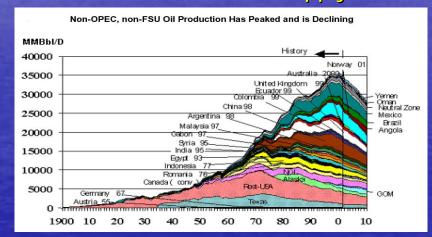
Energy Supply and Demand

#### **Surging Demand**



Annual Commercial Energy Consumption per Capita (kWh / person)

#### Finite Petroleum Supply

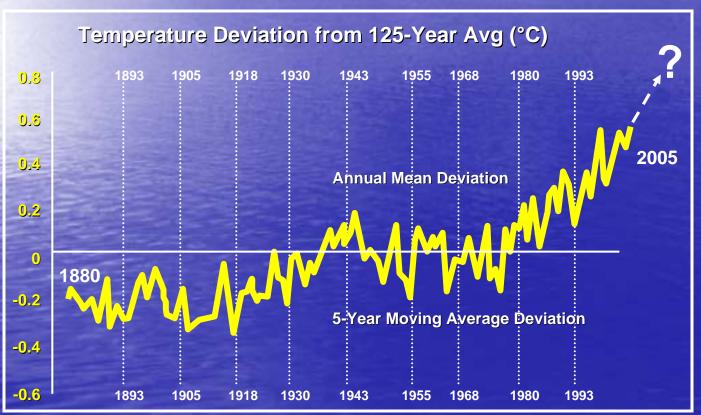


#### **Insecure Sources**



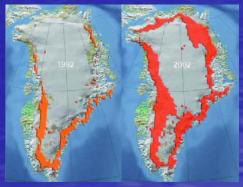
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Climate Change













#### The Value of Greentech?

- Good for the Environment and Good for the Economy
- Huge Market Opportunity
  - Global Revenue expected to grow to \$167B over the next decade (source: Clean Edge 2006)
- Fueling Job Growth
  - Every \$100M in greentech venture capital leads directly to the creation of 2700 jobs plus many more indirectly (source: E2 May 2006)
- Potential to be THE next big business for California







# California Has Always Been on the Forefront of Big Business Waves

- Gold (1849)
- Agriculture
- Defense
- Entertainment (Traditional)
- Semiconductor
- Nanotech
- Internet
- Entertainment (Online)
- Biotech
- Greentech???

Significant Policy Role

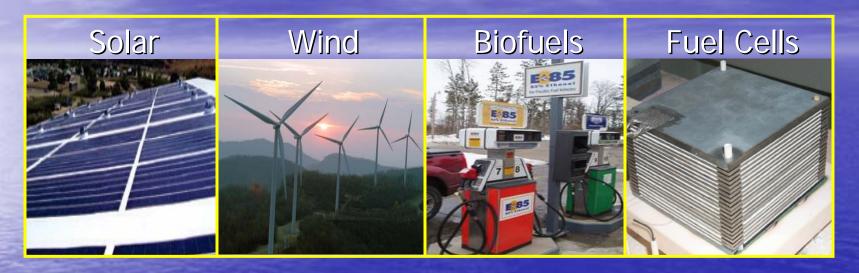


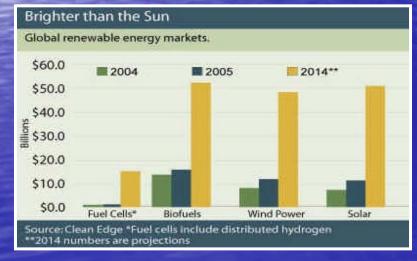
### VCs See the Opportunity

- Venture capital investments in greentech reached an all-time high in 2005
  - \$1.6 billion in North America,
    a 43 percent increase over 2004
- Greentech is now 5<sup>th</sup> largest venture capital category; surpassing semiconductors
- KPCB views greentech as <u>the</u> biggest opportunity of the 21<sup>st</sup> century
  - \$100M Greentech Initiative
  - Green Prize for Innovation
  - Greentech Innovation Network



#### Greentech Investments







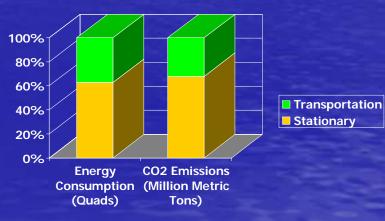
#### Crossing the Chasm

- Venture capital gets companies to the chasm
- Companies need help crossing
- Role of the Government
  - Consumer (Early Adopter)
  - Customer Incentives (e.g. SGIP)
  - Level Playing Field (vs "legacy" interests)
  - R&D Incentives
  - Promote Local Companies



### Making a Difference in California

- Energy Independence = Economic Security
  - California is the 6<sup>th</sup> largest economy in the world;
    Energy drives California's economy
- We need to use <u>our</u> natural resources
  - We don't have much fossil fuel, but we do have sun, biofuels, semiconductor know-how, entrepreneurship
- We need to be smarter
  - Example: 60% of our energy consumption and 60% of our CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions come from stationary power. Shouldn't we emphasize clean stationary generation solutions?



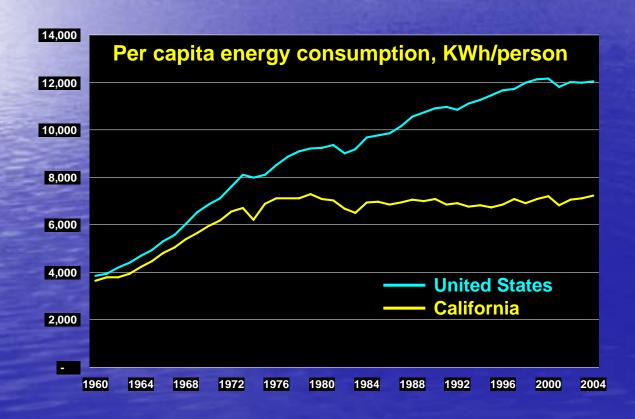
Source: Lawrence Livermore Laboratories 2002 Energy Flow Trends

#### California Report Card



#### California Clean Tech Leadership

 In Conservation and End-User Efficiency California has Lead by Example

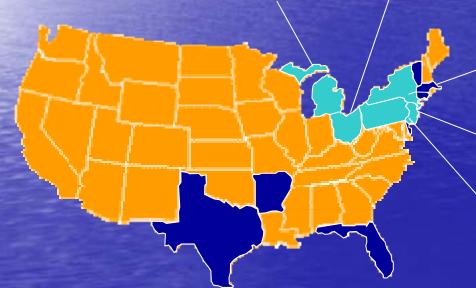


- Green House Gas
  Emission Standards
- •Million Solar Roofs Initiative
- •Green Building Initiative
- Renewable Power
  Portfolio Standards

#### Where Can California Improve?

In Supporting Home Grown Technology
 Companies California has Lagged Other States

• Michigan provides tax credits and over \$50 million to Michigan employers in energy technology Ohio Fuel Cell Initiative provides
 \$31M for Ohio Fuel Cell companies
 to create or retain jobs in Ohio



- New York Renewable Energy Technology Manufacturing Incentive, and R&D Grant programs supporting NY manufacturers
- Pennsylvania Alternative Energy Grants, Loans, and Guarantees for PA companies
- New Jersey Renewable Energy Business Venture Assistance Program provides seed capital for NJ ventures

Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Massachusetts, Texas, and Vermont also have better incentives than California to support their <u>local</u> cleantech companies

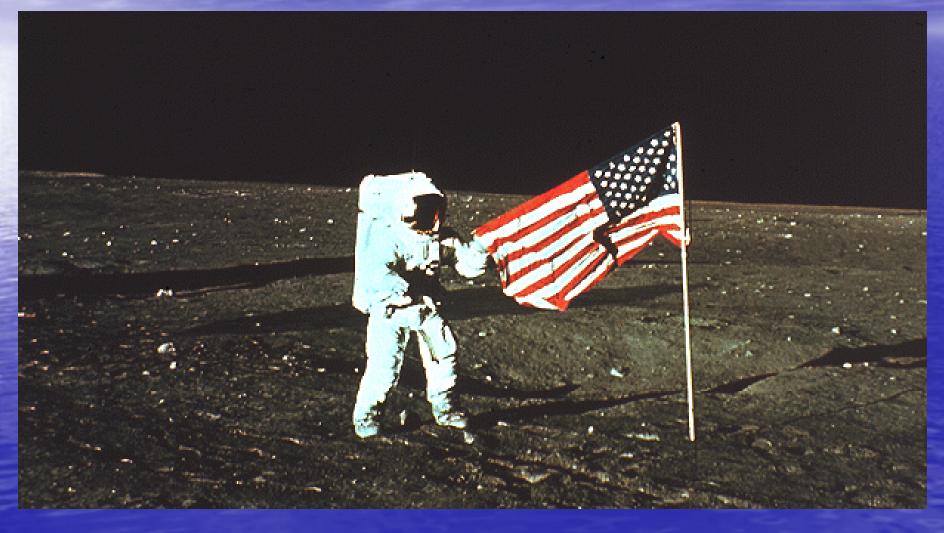
#### Fostering Energy Diversity in California

- Create a second tier RPS credit for natural gas generated from coal gasification
  - California is highly dependent on natural gas 51% of electricity generation
  - Natural gas is a clean-burning fuel that generates low green-house gas emissions
  - The U.S. has hit peak production for natural gas, and supply is not keeping up with demand and becoming dependent on imported LNG
  - Alternatively, the U.S. has more coal than any other country in the world
  - We have the technology to convert this dirty fuel into the cleanest of all fuels – natural gas
- We need to promote coal conversion into natural gas and the movement of this gas into California
  - Massachusetts -- alt fuel RPS credit worth \$0.05 per Kwh from SNG

#### What Can Sacramento Do?

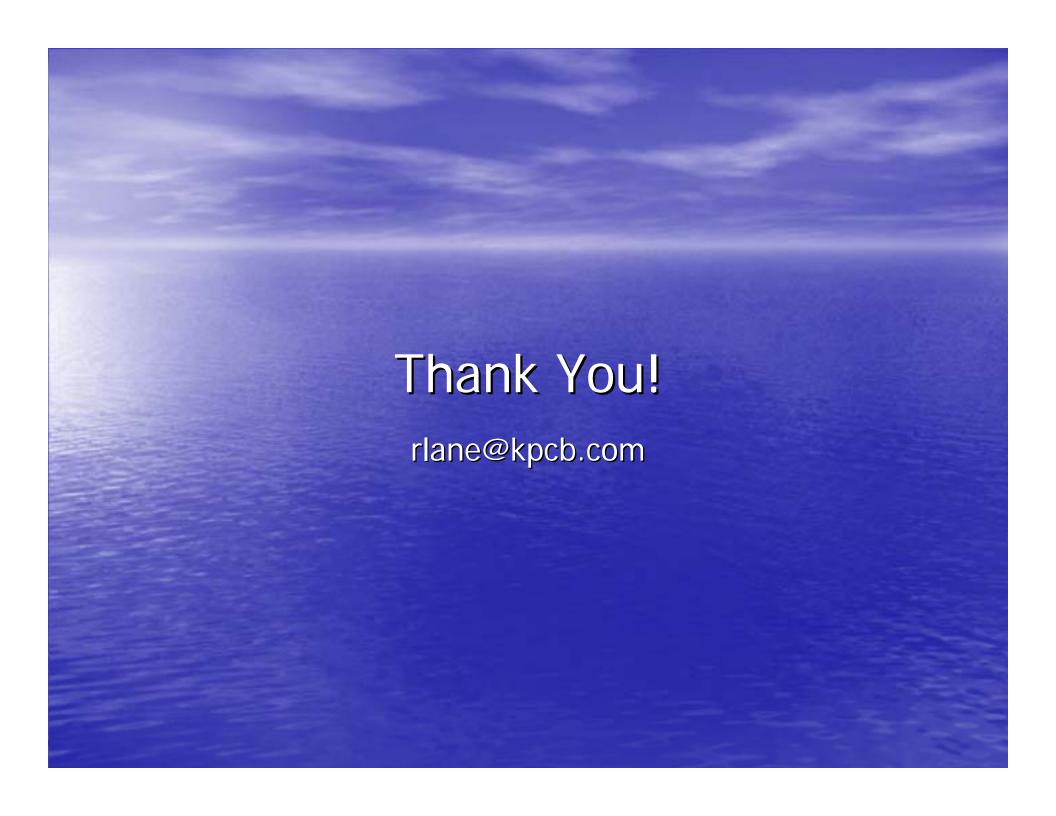
- Set the bar!
  - maintain the highest standards
- Commit to consume alternative energy of all sorts
  - Sometimes paying pre-commercial prices
- Support and promote California companies
  - Keep California dollars in California
  - Consumption, manufacturing, and R&D incentives
- Educate and inspire the public

# Greentech is Our Generation's Moon Shot



### California Must Lead the Way!





## Energy Consumption Per State

